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In re Application of:

Dov HARTAL et al

Appln. No.: 09/449,093

Filed: November 24, 1999

For: NATURAL COLORING PRODUCTS

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Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: C. Sherrer

Washington, D.C.

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection (or the rejection of claims for at least the second time), dated December 18, 2002, of the Primary Examiner. The claims appealed are claims 1-14, 23-28 and 41-45.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

XX The fee has been calculated as shown below:

XX \$320.00

\$160.00 (small entity)

Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)

XX Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity

Response Filed Within

[] First - \$ 55.00

[] Second - \$205.00

[] Third - \$465.00

[] Fourth - \$725.00

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Other Than Small Entity

Response Filed Within

[] First - \$ 110.00

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[] Third - \$ 930.00

[] Fourth - \$1450.00

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